

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
WOLFMAN et al.) Group Art Unit: 1647
Application No.: 10/689,677) Examiner: Lockard, Jon M.
Filed: October 22, 2003)
For: ACTRIIB FUSION POLYPEPTIDES AND USES THEREFOR))

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants petition for a one month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of January 4, 2006. A fee of \$120.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: March 6, 2006

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